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Amtd. Dated Feb. 24, 2005
Reply to Office action of October 29, 2004
Appl. No. 10/025,725

PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of

Docket No: AARL 01-25

William A. AHROON

Appln. No.: 10/025,725

Group Art Unit 2655

Confirmation No.: 1841

Examiner: H. X. VO

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AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

**Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 29, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

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For this additional reason, none of claims 1-22 are rendered obvious in view of the disclosures of Katayanagi et al. or Ertem et al., either alone or in combination.

Patentability of New Claims

For additional claim coverage merited by the scope of the invention, Applicant has added new claims 22-27. Applicant submits that the prior art does not disclose, teach, or otherwise suggest the combination of features contained therein. More particularly, the cited references fail to teach or suggest at least the required

Conclusion

In view of the above, reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.


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☐ Applicant Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)**250.00****Complete if Known**

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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims **27** - 22 = **5** x **50** = **250.00**
 Independent Claims **3** - 3 = **0** x **0** = **0**
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1202 50	2202 25	Claims in excess of 20
1201 200	2201 100	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203 300	2203 150	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204 200	2204 100	Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205 50	2205 25	Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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1053 130	2053 65	Non-English specification	
1812 2,520	2812 1,260	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804 920	2804 460	Requesting publication of SIR prior to examination	
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1251 120	2251 60	Extension for reply within first month	
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1403 1,000	2403 500	Request for oral hearing	
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